

# JUVENILE JUSTICE OPTIONS

# human services



# FIFTH DISTRICT JUVENILE COURT

Beaver, Iron, Washington

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# **PREVENTION & EARLY INTERVENTION**

**Receiving Center:** provides a location for youth brought in by law enforcement after arrest for status offenses or delinquent acts that do not meet the Detention Admission Guidelines.

**Youth Services:** diverts youth from the juvenile justice system. It provides immediate intervention by engaging and motivating youth and families to access resources and resolve conflict.

- Crisis counselling for youth and families
- Respite care
- Strengthening Families Program
- Shelter services for youth in crisis

**Mobile Crisis:** provides a licensed therapist who responds in person to a home, school, or other community location to families in crisis. Contact Southwest Behavioral Health: Washington County: 435-414-4362; Iron County: 800-574-6763

**Brief Community Intervention:** provides after school cognitive focused programming for moderate to high-risk youth.

**Youth Court:** is a diversion program that serves youth who have committed minor offenses.

- Washington County Youth Court, 435-674-5757
- Iron County Youth Court, 435-867-8384

### **COURT ORDERED SERVICES**

**Locked Detention:** provides short-term secure supervision for youth considered to be a danger to the community who are waiting adjudication, transfer or are on short term commitment.

**Home Detention:** provides an alternative to secure detention for youth awaiting a court hearing for a new delinquent offense.

**Probation Services:** provides formal court monitoring in which a probation officer is assigned to assist the youth and family (*Note: court-ordered interventions on the reverse side of this handout*).

**In-Home Observation and Assessment:** provides 30-day evaluation crisis intervention, treatment planning and recommendations for adjudicated youth pending disposition.

**Brief Community Intervention:** provides after school cognitive focused programming for moderate to high-risk youth.

**Day Skills Intervention:** provides evidence-based skills programming to include on-site schooling for adjudicated moderate to high-risk youth for up to 120-days.

**Residential Placements:** provides extended treatment for moderate and high-risk adjudicated youth in a out-of-home settings.

**Secure Care:** provides secure confinement for high risk adjudicated youth in long-term locked facilities.

# **COMMUNITY & SCHOOL**

**School-based Outreach:** provides evidence-based services to youth to improve attendance and academic performance:

- Teach problem solving, decision making, goal setting and resiliency skills in the school and in the community.
- Tutor participating youth.
- Establish collaborative relationships with allied agencies.
- Mentor youth in homes, where skills are taught to the family.

**Southwest Behavioral Health:** Southwest Behavioral Health Services (SBHS) is the local authority for the provision of substance use and mental health programs for residents in Washington, Beaver and Iron Counties. Learn more by visiting: <a href="http://www.southwestcenter.com/">http://www.southwestcenter.com/</a>

# **OTHER RESOURCES**

**2-1-1:** provides people with ways to get help and give help. By simply dialing 2-1-1, callers can connect to health and human resources they need, as well as find meaningful volunteer opportunities.

**Statewide Crisis Line:** provides prompt and compassionate crisis intervention 24/7 both locally and statewide. The crisis line is: 801-587-3000

**SafeUT Smartphone Crisis APP:** helps youth stay healthy and safe in school by providing high-quality, confidential counseling services. Download from the Apple and Google Play Stores.







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### **JUVENILE COURT PROBATION INTERVENTIONS**

Families First: is an intensive in-home intervention designed to teach skills to youth and parents and to improve family functioning. (Offered in Beaver, Iron and Washington County)

NCTI Youth Crossroads: is a cognitive behavioral evidence-based program that offers an extensive library of juvenile curricula. The curricula consists of a variety of offense-specific titles that target specific interventions that address criminogenic risk factors that help reduce the risk of re offending. (Offered in Beaver, Iron and Washington County)

**Prime for Life:** Prime for Life® is an evidence based, risk reduction drug and alcohol education program — it is not substance abuse treatment. (Offered in Beaver, Iron and Washington County)

Work Program: the work crew provides a place for youth to work off community services hours and/or restitution in a supervised environment. (Offered in Iron and Washington County).

Carey Guides: is a set of 33 Guides that address specific topics related to criminogenic needs and other critical case management issues, which help youth to change behaviors in critical skills deficit areas.

Brief Intervention ToolS(BITs): are tools created to help professionals effectively address key skill deficits with adults or juveniles in short, structured interventions.

Reducing Risk for Teens (RRT): is a program which offers Aggression Replacement Training and skill building to moderate to high risk youth and Problem-Solving for parents. Youth participate three times a week for 12 weeks, while their parents participate once per week for 10 weeks. (Offered in Iron and Washington County)

Ending Nicotine Dependence (END): is a program designed to impact teen tobacco and nicotine use by providing the opportunity and techniques for youth to use in quitting. (Offered in Iron and Washington County)

### **IMPORTANT CONTACTS**

**Division of Juvenile Justice Services:** provides a continuum of intervention, supervision, and rehabilitation programs to youth offenders while assuring public safety. Phone: 801-538-4330, Fax: 801-538-4334, Website: http://jjs.utah.gov

**Washington County Youth Crisis Center:** 435-656-6100

Iron County Youth Center: 435-586-1704 or 435-586-6606

Utah Juvenile Court: has exclusive original jurisdiction over youths, under 18 years of age, who violate any federal,

state or municipal law, and any child who is abused, neglected or dependent. Website:

https://www.utcourts.gov/courts/juv/

Phone numbers:

Beaver Courthouse: 435-438-5309

Iron Courthouse: 435-867-3200; Probation: 435-867-3220

Washington Courthouse: 435-986-5730; Probation: 435-986-5740